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WILL PURCHASE LOT FOR SCHOOL

Council Appropriates $7,500 to Buy Land for Proposed Building

SUSTAIN MAYOR'S VETO

The Sum of $10,000 Appropriate For Extension of Sewer on South Royal Street—To Increase Salary of Superintendent of Gas.

Common council last night appropriated the sum of $7.500 for the purchase of a lot as a site for the purposed new school building for colored boys and girls.

President Burke, at the request of the board, appointed a committee composed of Councilmen Matter and Ticer, who with the city engineer and school board, will select the site for the new building.

W. F. H. Finke, chairman of the school board addressed council on the need of immediate action.

Mayor Fisher returned without his approval the paper granting A. T. Peake permission to erect a gasoline tank at Prince and Fairfax streets. It required twelve votes to overcome the mayors veto and only eleven were given, Messrs Ticer and McCaffrey voting to sustain the mayor. The matter was, after a lengthy debate recommitted to the street committee.

Resolution of Councilman Ticer to increase the salary of the superintendent of the city gas works to $2,000 per annum, effective June 1, 1919, was referred to the committee on finance and light. The sum of $10,000 was appropriated for construction of sewer on Royal street southward to Jefferson street.

After a debate a resolution appropriating $1,700 for the purchase of a concrete mixer was withdrawn by Councilman Ruben, of the street committee.

The corporation attorney was authorized to take necessary steps to compel the Fleichmann Construction Company to remove dirt from lots in the northeastern section of the city.

Resolution appropriating $4,000 to continue work of moving ashes and cleaning streets, the present fund being exhausted, was referred to street committee. It was explained that the increased cost of labor and teams was responsible for the deficit.

The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company petitioned for permission to erect poles and string cables on the river front between King and Duke streets. It was referred to the street committee.

The sum of $400 was appropriated for sewer traps in the southeastern section of the city and $300 for use of health department.

Miscellaneous Business.

Other matters presented follow: Permission granted Aero-Auto Company to erect gasoline tank on Henry street, just west of building 1101 King street; permission granted Leo Harlow to erect garage in rear of 1 South Fairfax street; permission also granted George H. Hepburn to erect garage in rear of 211 Gibbon street; petition for sewer on Fayette between Prince and Duke streets, referred to street committee. Frank Michelbach granted permission to erect building at 814 and 816 King street; petition of C. R. Yates to repair building 322 south Fairfax street referred to street committee; petition of Mutual Ice Company to erect service station on east side of Alfred between Wolfe and Wilkes streets, referred to street committee.

DIED

Entered into rest in Baltimore, February 6th, 1919, Mrs. Charlotte E. Forsyth, in the 89th year of her age. Mother of the late Rev. Robert W. Forsyth, of Richmond, Va. She was the aunt of Mrs. James S. Smith, Mrs. E. E. Downham, Mrs. E. E. Gronau, and George E. Price, all of this city.
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MASONIC NOTICE

There will be a called communication of Alexandria Washington Lodge No .22, A. F. & A. M., held in the Masonic Temple on Friday evening, April 11th, at 7:30 o'clock, for work.
By order of the Worshipful Master,
C. PAGE WALLER, Secretary.
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STRIKERS GROW VICIOUS

Bomb Explosion and Revolver Battles Feature Lawrence Outburst

Lawrence, Mass., April 8.—Rioting marked by promiscuous firing by strike sympathizers and police opened the tenth week of the textile strike here yesterday. The outbreak occurred in the vicinity of the Everett mill, shortly before 7 o'clock, a few hours after the city had been stirred by the explosion of a bomb in a tenement house in the same neighborhood.

Early reports indicated that no one was wounded by the shooting, although several rioters and policemen were injured by sticks, stones and clubs.

The rioting started when a few strike sympathizers began throwing stones at mill windows, and then shifted their attack to policemen who sought to quiet them. The crowd grew rapidly, and the little squad of officers called for reserves. City Marshal Timothy O'Brien responded with a large force and read the riot act.

Then the police, finding their clubs ineffective, drew their pistols, and their shots were answered by others from the crowd. Men and women also appeared at windows with missiles.

Women and children were active on the picket lines during the morning. It had been announced Sunday night that the children of strikers would be kept from school Monday because of the alleged anti-strike activities by teachers. This morning many women appeared as pickets, accompanied by two and three children, most of them of primary schol age. In the mill districts, also, other women, with stones in their hands, drove away children who were on their way to school.

One striker, arrested for alleged rioting, had $1,303 in cash and a $100 Liberty bond in his pockets.

Numerous spring harbingers are here, but they aren't hopping about in the grass, says the Kansas City Star. They're lying on their backs on the ground, with their poor little feet up in the air.

PRESENTED WITH PULPIT

Rev. Dr. J. Calvin Stewart, of Alexandria, is Recipient

RELIC OF MINISTRY

Formed Part of Furnishings of Grace Covenant Church of Richmond, Now Owned by Masons.

Rev. Dr. J. Calvin Stewart, pastor emeritus of the Grace Covenant Church, Richmond, has been presented with the pulpit from which he preached so many sermons, by the Scottish Rite Masons of Richmond, of which he has long been an active member. Dr. Stewart is an Alexandrian, a son of the late John Stewart and is well known to most old residents.

The pulpit formed a part of the furnishings of the Church of the Covenant and, after its amalgamation with the Grace Street Church, of the Grace Covenant Church, at Harrison and Park Streets, of which he was the pastor. When the building at Harrison and Park streets was sold to the Scottish Rite Masons, the pulpit, with all other furnishings, was included. Knowing the sentiment that attached to the pulpit, the new owners have presented it to Dr. Stewart.

The building, which has been the home of Grace Covenant Church since the merger of the congregations, at midnight last night passed from its possession and became the Scottish Rite Cathedral of Richmond, thus giving this Masonic order the handsomest home in the South and one of the finest in the United States. With a few minor alterations in the interior it will be especially well adapted for their work, and the spring reunion on May 12, 13, 14 and 15 will be held there. Later several thousand dollars will be expended in altering the cathedral to meet the needs.

Perhaps the largest class of candidates in the history of Scottish Rite Masonry in Virginia will be initiated at the spring reunion. Already more than 150 applications have been re-

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DANCE A SUCCESS

Proceeds for Tobacco Fund of Soldiers at Fort Myer.

About three hundred happy folks, including one hundred and fifty men in uniform and those discharged, enjoyed the dance given last night at the War Camp Community Service Club for the benefit of the the tobacco fund of the men stationed at Fort Myer. The music was furnished by five members of the 11th Cavalry Band, which was exceptionally good for dance purposes. In addition to the dancing, a number of vaudeville stunts were introduced, all being men from Fort Myer, which were first class features and included the following: Westbrook, of the 11th Cavalry Band, who delighted the audience with an exceptional rendition of vocal solos; Paul Grigsby, or "Haba Haba" the Fire Eater, was a decided hit as usual, as he seemingly devoured balls of fire and flaming tapers; Imitations by Buglers Pomeroy and Sanders were very clever and greatly enjoyed; Sargeant Bosko next entertained with several excellent mandolin solos; the program concluded with Jack Caits who entertained in a delightful way with accentric dancing. The entertainment of last night resembled those that were given at the hall during last fall and winter, when so many professional men were in camp at Camp Humphreys, and so willingly gave of their talents for the enjoyment o fthe citizens of Alexandria.

Arrangements are being made in the near future to give one or more evenings entirely to set entertainments, which will be participated in by men of the service, who so far have proven themselves absolutely capable as did those who participated in last night's entertainment features. The work of community service for the men still in uniform and those discharged and wearing the civilian clothes is still being figured out to good advantage by the host of Alexandria in co-operation with the War Camp Community Service. W. C. C. S. will soon have identification buttons which will be given to men who were in the service but are now wearing the civilian clothes, if they will apply at the W. C. C. S. office in the Elks Building and register, giving their name and address, thus they will be provided with all of the privileges as having been Uncle Sam's service men.

STARTS ON ATLANTIC TRIP

Lieutenant Fontain Leaves Villa Coublay—Destination, Brazil.

Paris, April 9.—Lieut. Fontain, French aviator, started at 6 a. m., yesterday from Villa Coublay on the first leg of a trans-Atlantic flight to Brazil. He will make his first stop at Casa Blanca.

Fontain's flight would be made in five legs, totaling 4,500 miles, as follows:

Villa Coublay to Casa Blanca (Dar El Beda) 1,200 miles; Casa Blanca to Dakar, 1,400 miles; Dakar to St. Paul Rocks, 1,100 miles; St. Paul Rocks to Pernambuco, 750 miles; Pernambuco to Rio Janeiro, 1,100 miles.

Casa Blanca is in Morocco, on the Atlantic coast, about 100 miles southwest of Gibraltar. Dakar is at the extreme end of Cape Verde. St. Paul Rocks are in the South Atlantic, northeast of Pernambuco.

Fontain made a previous attempt to follow this route March 16, being forced to descend at Blois because of engine trouble after being in the air less than two hours.

GIRL OF 19 TRIES SUICIDE

Miss Bradshaw, Recently Employed in Washington, Shoots Herself

Charlottesville, Va., April 9.—Miss Pearl Bradshaw of this city, mut more recently of Washington, where she was employed in a government office is in the University Hospital suffering from a gunshot wound, self-inflicted during a fit of despondency.

The young lady shot herself while on a visit to her uncle at Fabers, Nelson county, and was immediately rushed to this city on a Southern train. An examination showed that the shot had pierced the lower lung. Miss Bradshaw now regrets attempting to end her life and says she is anxious to live. She is 19 years of age. Her mother is a widow.

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NINE MONTHS JURY'S VERDICT

James H. Lawrence Found Guilty of Involuntary Manslaughter

JURY OUT FOUR HOURS

Shooting Took Place February 14 After Lawrence Was Taken in Custody by Officer Walker W. Campbell

James H. Lawrence, a discharged soldier, from Richmond, Va., was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter by a jury in the Corporation Court last night in connection with shooting to death Policeman Walker W. Campbell and fixed his punishment at nine months in the city jail.

The jury deliberated on the case four and a half hours. The case was given the jury at 5.10 o'clock and a few minutes before 10 o'clock returned its verdict. Lawrence already has served nearly two months in jail and this time will be taken off his sentence. The prisoner, therefore, will serve only about seven months in jail.

C. W. O'Meara was foreman of the jury. The shooting of Policeman Campbell took place the night of February 14 after he had taken Lawrence in custody for an infraction of a city ordinance.

Lawrence accompanied Policeman Campbell and Padgett a distance of more than a square when a tussel ensued resulting in the policeman being shot and Campbell died two days afterward at the Alexandria Hospital.

The accused was represented by attorney Leith S. Bramnerg, Richmond and Commonwealth's Attorney H. W. Smith conducted the prosecution.

NEW PASTOR

Rev. G. J. Hill Succeeds Rev. R. W. White as Pastor of Methodist Protestant Church

Rev. G. J. Hill has been appointed pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church in this city succeeding Rev. R. W. White, the change being made by the annual Maryland conference of that church which closed yesterday its session held in Baltimore. Rev. R. W. White who has been here for several years, has been transferred to Trinity Church, Baltimore.

The next conference will be held in Washington.

FAVOR CITY MANAGER PLAN

Suffolk Election Shows 313 Out of 399 Voters for Change in Government

Suffolk, Va., April 9.—Suffolk will have a city manager form of government. This fact was decided last night, after the warmest election that has been held here in many years.

The election for the change in the form of city government was won by an overwhelming majority, for out of the 399 votes cast, 313 were for the change in the form of government, and eighty-six against the change.

According to the election laws, as construed by some Virginia judges, it takes a majority of the qualified voters as shown on the sworn list, and the 313 cast last night by those who advocate the change in the form of city government is just the number.

LONG RIDE ON TRAIN ROOF

Boy Nearly Paralyzed by 8 Hours On Passenger Coach Top.

Williamsport, Pa., April 9.—James Walter Randall, a 15 year old boy, who gave Clifton, Va., as his home, was taken from the roof of a fast train on the Pennsylvania Railroad when it arrived here early yesterday morning after a ride of nearly 8 hours, clinging to the ventilator of a passenger coach.

When discovered the boy's mucles and limbs were so stiff from riding so long in his perilous position and from the cold that he did not recover their use for some time. The boy had beaten his way from Canandaigua, N. Y., at which place he had crawled to the top of the car as the train was being made up for its night run. The lad is being held here to await orders from his family as to his disposition.

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WILSON'S RETURN

Sailing of the Steamer George Washington Will be Expedited

Acting Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt late yesterday received a cable from Admiral Benson asking that the sailing of the U. S. S. George Washington be expedited at the direction of President Wilson.

As a result navy officials said the George Washington would leave for Brest as early as possible, perhaps by Friday, April 11.

A tentative sailing date had been set for April 14, but repairs, which the George Washington has been undergoing, were finished sooner than navy, officials had expected Acting Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt said.

Paris, April 9.—Air tight censorship was put upon American papers here with reference to fixing the sailing date for the George Washington, which will bring President Wilson back to America. Delays over the peace parleys are being strongly criticized.

NEGRO ATTACKS WOMAN

Suspect Seized in Freight Car Held in Berkeley Springs Jail

Hammerstown, Md., April 9.—Mrs. Ernest Zimmerman, aged 26, was brutally attacked by a young negro yesterday at her home in Morgan county W. Va., near Hancock, Va., A negro answering the description of Mrs. Zimmerman's assailant was arrested in the afternoon at Dogeley and is being held in Berkeley Springs jail.

Mrs. Zimmerman was combing the hair of her 5 year old daughter on the front porch of her home when the negro asked for a drink of water. As she started to enter the door the negro dragged her into a room. Her face was lacerated and body bruised.

The negro boarded a Baltimore and Ohio freight which was searched at Gogeley. Mrs. Zimmerman's daughter ran to a field where her father was plowing and told him of the tragedy. Posse of officers and citizens were soon scouring the country. Threats of lynching were made.

Sheriff Hovermill, who last night had a strong guard at the ajil said the authorities were not sure that they had the right man.

The prisoner, agd 24, of Martinsburg says he is innocent.

GERMANS FELL FOR DECOY

Foch's Faked Plans Reached Them by Strategy of Americans.

Boston, April 9.—Officials at the headquarters of the Department of the Northeast vouched for a story told by a major who arrived on the Agamemnon yesterday of how two colonels of the American army assisted in an important bit of strategy in the St. Mihiel district. The major, whose name the department declined to reveal, said that the Germans learned of the original plan to start the drive on September 5, 1918.

General Foch then had elaborate plans drawn up, purporting to set forth details of an impending attack on Belfort. These plans were intrusted to two American colonels, who took them to a town where there were known to be German spies. While they were there the plans disappeared for a time. That they had fallen into German hands became evident when the Germans withdrew large forces from parts of the St. Mihiel salient and massed them about Belfort.

This diversion assisted greatly in carrying out the real plan of attack, which was instituted on September 12.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my dear husband, Raymond A. Devers, who departed this life, April 9, 1918.

In memory I always see the one I
loved so dear,
His vision grows so clear, sometimes I feel he must be near,
How sadly I have counted the hours
that measured one sorrowful year.
Since they laid 'neath the mantle of
flowers the husband I loved so
dear.
His busy hands are folded, his work
on earth is done,
His troubles are all ended, his heavenly crown is won,
If I could see behind the stars, that
which is hid from me,
I know I would see my dear husband then, tenderly watching me.

His Loving Widow.
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GETHSEMANE TO GOLGOTHA

To be Sung by the Choir of St. Paul's Church Next Tuesday Evening

For upwards of ten years the choir of St. Paul's Church has rendered during Holy Week, one of the sacred Cantatas appropriate for the Lenten Season, among them Stainer's "Crucifixon," Maunder's "Olivet to Calvert," Du Bois,' "The Seven Last Words of Christ," and Gounod's "Gallia." This year they will present a new work, Turner's "Gethsemane to Golgotha."

In this Cantata the librettist has attempted to present the great tragedy in a rather dramatic form, as an alternative to the contemplative view exemplified in other Lenten Cantatas. He divides it into three scenes, "The Garden of Gethsemane," "Before Pilate's House," and "At the foot of the Cross," suggested by three verses of a hymn of James Montgomery, "Go to Dark Gethsemane," "Follow to the Judgment Hall," and "Calvarys Mournful Mountain Climb," which are sung respectively at the commencement of each part in the form of a choral, by the choir, and each part concludes with an appropriate hymn for the choir and congregation. St. Paul's choir has had this work in preparation for several weeks, and a fine rendition is anticipated.

The part of "Jesus" will be sung by Wilmer J. Waller, that of "Peter," "Pilate," and "The Beloved Disciple," by Kenneth Ogden. J. Harris Franklin will sing the part of "Judas." The other solo part is assigned to the soprano, and will be sung by Mrs. Harrie White, who will sing the part of "A Voice in the Crowd," "An Angel," and "Mary." The reputation of St. Paul's Choir for chorus singing is well established, and this Cantata gives them a fine opportunity. The production is under the direction of Sherman B. Fowler, the organist of the church.

The offertory will be for the benefit of the choir fund, and the expenses incident to the production of this work.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend this service, which will be held at St. Paul's Church Tuesday evening of next week, April 15th, at 8 p. m.

TO DISCUSS CITY MGR. PLANS

Plans Complete For Big Mass Meeting On Friday Evening

EVERYBODY WELCOME

Results of Carrying Out of Plan in Other Cities to be Made Public at This Meeting.

The temporary committee in charge of arrangements for the mass meeting for Friday night regrets that Mr. Ashburner, present city manager of Norfolk, will be unable to be present Friday night. The committee, however, congratulates itself on having filled Mr. Ashurner's place on the program, by securing Mr. H. H. Rumble for that evening.

Mr. Rumble is a leading attorney of Norfolk, and is especially qualified to discuss city government. When the citizenes of Norfolk became interested in establishing a better system of administration for Norfolk, Mr. Rumble was made chairman of a committee to visit cities throughout the country and investigate various forms of government. After a thorough investigation of the various forms, Mr. Rumble's committee recommended the council manager plan for Norfolk.

On account of the various experience and data Mr. Rumble had secured on the subject, he was made chairman of the charter commission, and drew the present city manager charter for that city.

The committee has secured as an attractive feature. Professor Celfo, leader of the orchestra at Poli's Theater who will conduct a brass band of twenty pieces. Thus an evening of both education and pleasure is assured.

NOTICE

Some one, no doubt through mistake, has taken a Grey Tube, 34x4, from my office, belonging to Mr. Knight. Please return it and oblige.
Z. B. MOORMAN.t

NEWS OF CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Mr. Benedict Wheatley who has been confined to his home by illness for the past week, is convalescent.

Rev. W. C. Hicks, provincial secretary of the Synod of Washington, will preach at 8 o'clock tonight at St. Paul's P. E. Church.

The sixth of the series of Lenten services will be held tonight at Immanuel Lutheran Church, corner Alfred and Cameron streets.

Miss Martha Lee Allison left yesterday for a weeks' visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stanley, at Wytheville, Va.

Representative Charles C. Carlin will deliver an address before the members of Seminole Tribe of Red Men, No. 35, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at Odd Fellows Hall.

Mrs. Robert L. Lyons has received word that her husband, Private Robert L. Lyons, has arrived from overseas and is now at Camp Merritt, New Jersey.

The festival of the Seven Tables will be given from 6 until 8 o'clock tomorrow night in the Westminster building of the Second Presbyterian Church by the women of that church.

Miss Elizabeth Newton Packard, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. William Lewis Packard, and her grandmother, Mrs. William Fowle Brooke, 701 Prince street, has returned to St. Hilda's Hall, Charles Town, W. Va., where she is a student.

SUNDAY PASTIMES

New York and Rhode Island Legislatures Legalize Baseball and Moving Picture Shows.

Albany, N. Y., April 9.—By a vote of 84 to 58 the assembly passed Senator Thompson's bill legalizing Sunday motion picture shows. The bill now goes to the governor for his signature. It als passed the bill of Senator Walke rpermitting Sunday baseball games. The bill now goes to the governor for his approval.

Providence, R. I., April 9.—The senate passed the bill legalizing Sunday baseball in Rhode Island. It now awaits Gov. Beeckman's signature.

The bill provides that amateur or professional baseball may be played between 12 noon and 6 p. m. on Sunday. The vote was 26 to 11.

JOKE NEARLY COSTS A LIFE.

Told He Would be Court Martialed Soldier Takes Poison.

Philadelphia, April 9.—Told that he would be court martialed and shot for failing to return his uniform, John Dunn, 18 years old, of No. 210 South Fourth street, Camden made an unsuccessful effort to end his life Monday. He was a former member of Battery B. Field Artillery and, after a corporal had called at his home, inquiring about the uniform, relatives jokingly remarked he would be shot. He drank the contents of a bottle of corn cure. but his life was saved at Cooper Hospital.

TRAIN DEMOLISHES AUTO

Occupants of Machine Are Unhurt In Accident

Harrisonburg, Va., April 9.—Though the automobile in which Ward Myers, Misses Florine Rhodes and Lucille Turner were riding was demolished Monday when struck by a train on the Valley Pike the occupants escaped without a scratch.

Mr. Myers was driving, and he failed to notice the train until it was too late. The engine struck the tonneu swung the machine around and scattered parts on the highway. The occupants were riding on the front seat.

NOTED ACTOR DEAD

New York, April 9.—Sidney Drew, well-known actor, died this morning at his home here after a short illness Physicians diagnosed his ailment as uremic poisoning.

He was stricken in Detroit, where he was appearing recently with his wife in "Keep Her Smiling."

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CASE OF J. H. LAWRENCE

Another alleged murder case was disposed of by a jury in the Corporation Court yesterday. James H Lawrence, a former soldier, was arraigned to answer the charge of shooting and killing Officer Walker Campbell on the night of February 11, 1919. The facts in connection with the case were told in yesterday's Gazette in its report of the trial. The jury, after four hours' deliberation brought in a verdict of involuntary manslaughter and fixed the punishment of the accused at nine months in the city jail. He will serve but seven, however, as the two months he has been in confinement will be allowed.

As was stated yesterday, the prisoner claimed the shooting was accidental, and resulted from a tussel with Officer Campbell, who took the pistol from Lawrence after placing him under arrest for breaking a bottle on the the street. Although there were circumstances which were against this theory, no one could be secured to testify that Lawrence deliberately shot the officer.

Affecting scenes were in evidence during this trial. The accused is but 24 years old, and a young wife, who united her fortunes with him last November, sat by his side all the time. Anxiety is already showing its effects upon the young woman, while her husband, whose cogitations must have been acute, watched the proceedings with equal solicitude. When he was placed upon the stand he told his story mid audible sobs.

Officer William Campbell, who was asked to take the stand by the prosecution, was equally moved while telling what he knew of the circumstances in connection with the killing of his father.

Lawrence is a type of many thoughtless young men. He had been a soldier, was honorably discharged, and secured a position as special officer at the Potomac railroad yards. In the discharge of his duties and within the limits of the yard he has been allowed to carry a pistol. He had been summoned to Richmond to testify in a court, and instead of leaving his pistol at the yard, he kept it upon his person, which made him liable to a fine of $100. He also placed two bottles of whisky in his pockets, and came to Alexandria instead of proceding to the Union station, where he was to take an early morning train. While partly intoxicated he committed a misdemeanor which resulted in the killing of one of the city's most faithful and efficient policemen.

PRAYING SOLDIERS

We looked upon a picture recently entitled "The Praying Soldier," An old gray-haired man, donned in military apparel, minus medals, gilt or gold, was kneeling in a church. The suppliant was Marshal Foch, the greatest military genius of the twentieth century. He was invoking the aid of the Lord of Hosts while the Germans were preparing for their last drive, over a year ago.

Those acquainted with the life of Thomas Jonathan (Stonewall) Jackson, another of the great strategists of the world, are well aware of the fact that he relied upon his Creator in every move he made and was often seen in country churches participating in the services.

Many years ago several captains of passenger-carrying ocean steamers met at a New York hotel. They were telling of their experiences in crossing the Atlantic, and most of them talked in a self-confident manner, assuming that it was their skill which averted accidents and disasters. An old Cunard commander sat listening, and at last he said: "Gentlemen, I have ever realized that crossing the ocean is a dangerous procedure. I invariably ask God to take charge before leaving port and thank him after I arrive safe at the other end."

The Rev. Samuel Chadwick, presiding at the anniversary meeting of the Birmingham Wesleyan Mission in New Central Hall, Birmingham, the other day told how the British war cabinet resolved itself into a prayer meeting at one critical stage of the war.

A message came through from Sir Douglas Haig, saying. "We have our backs to the wall."

The war cabinet received the news in silence. Then a member said: "Well, it has come to this now. It is heaven help us!"

The Prime Minister said: "Yes, that is just where we are. It is heaven help us, so let us ask heaven."

"Probably for the first time in British history a war cabinet meeting was turned into a prayer meeting," concluded Mr. Chadwick.

BLESSINGS OF AMERICA

We have often during the past four or five years compared conditions in our own land to those in evidence in other countries in which the spectre of Famine has so long been seen. While America is blest in basket and store, necessaries of life are almost unotainable in other nations, where old and young are literally perishing for want of food.

While such conditions are reported in other countries there has been no time when necessities as well as luxuries could not be procured in the United States. It is true sugar cards were for a brief period in use, as were fuel regulations, but while prices have soared everything really needful could be obtained. Hence we have many things for which to be thankful.

Twenty-one and one-third billions of dollars were grown by the American farmer in 1918, a record harvest of wealth never before equaled in rural United States in this preliminary estimate made from reports to the Department of Agriculture. It includes the total value of all crops, animals and animal products of 1918, based on prices paid at the farm. It exceeds the total value of the 1917 harvest by $2,000,000,000 and is 127 per cent greater than the average amount pocketed by the American farmer from 1910 to 1914, inclusive.

Fortified with this record prosperity, the American farmer now is beginning 1919 planting with the hope of raising the total value of all all products to $22,000,000,000.

The 1918 record harvest is divided this way: Crops, $14,000,000,000. animals raised and animal products, $7,000,000,000.

The condition of the crop is higher than has been reported than on any April 1 since 1882; the indicated yield of 837,000,000 bushels is nearly double the yearly average production in this country for the five years before the war. It is also nearly 50 per cent larger than the production during the war years 1914 to 1918.

NOT THE LAST DITCH

Herr Noske says the German army must be rebuilt, because if the Allies and America should be obdurate, and reject the generous terms offered by victorious Germany, it will be necessary to resume fighting. In regard to this it is interesting to note that at present the Allies and America have 12 times as many troops on the western front as Germany has. Herr Noske, however, has not given up all hope that the enemies of Germany will show their good sense by taking such terms as they can get.

This is less impressive than it would be if Germany, after declaring that it would under no circumstances allow the Polish army to return home through Dantzig, had not waived the point. It is far from being the first time that the Germans have proved like the young man from Ostend, who resolved not to be seasick, but

When half way over
From Ostend to Dover
He done what he didn't intend.

Still Germany did not treat Dantzig as a last ditch, and it has fallen back from several other positions where it had solemnly resolved to stand or perish. It may conclude on further thought not to commit suicide.—(Philadelphia Record.

WHY SUFFER SO?

Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizzines sand distressing urinary ills? Alexandria people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?

Mrs. L. C. Nalls, 540 South Patrick street, Alexandria, says: "I could hardly get about the house, my back felt so weak and sore. When I got down it was almost impossible for me to straighten up. I couldn't rest after I went to bed, my back ached so badly, and in the morning I could hardly dress myself. I felt weak and tired and my kidneys acted irregularly. My head ached, too. I got my first box of Doan's Kidney Pills at C. W. Summers' Drug Store and they did me so much good I got another box. After I had finished that, my back stopped aching and my kidneys haven't caused me any trouble since."

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FOR EUGENIC MARRIAGES

Trenton, N. J., April 9.—The New Jersey Assembly went on record yesterday as favoring eugenic marriages, passing a bill compelling prospective candidates for matrimony to submit to a physician's examination before a license is issued. Diseased conditions, revealed by examination of candidates under the selective service law is responsible for the proposed legislation.

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Big Business is usually pictured in the public mind as a huge, soulless machine. As a matter of fact, it is just a collection of human beings like you.

Without boasting and simply to give the public an idea of the human side of Swift & Company, we publish the following facts:

The lowest rate of wages paid to men has been increased voluntarily and by arbitration 167 per cent in the past three years; the wages of all packing-house labor have been increased an average of 125 per cent.

There is an Employes' Benefit Association (voluntary) providing disability and death benefits for a small weekly payment. Sick allowances are granted in times of illness, and pensions for disability and old age are provided without expense to the employe.

Under a two year time payment plan 4,000 employes have become shareholders in Swift & Company.

Company physicians attend employes needing their help at the plant and at home, without charge.

More than 1,500 of the 7,500 men who left to join the army and navy have returned to their jobs, and jobs are waiting for the others as soon as they return.

At the general office in Chicago, every boy is given an hour's schooling daily on company time, such work being accredited by the high school authorities in securing a two year commercial course diploma.

A summer home is maintained at Fish Lake, Indiana, near Chicago, where women plant employes may spend their vacations, without cost.

Swift & Company is co-operating with other employers to improve living conditions around the stock yards.

More and more thought and attention are being given to the opportunity and responsibilities presented in a big industry to improve working conditions and to raise living standards.

These are beginnings of a broad, constructive program, details of which are now being worked out by the Employes' Relations Committee of Swift & Company.

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REMNANT SALE THURSDAY
Some of the Special bargains on sale here tomorrow

Twenty dozen heavy green oil window shades, 3 feet wide 7 feet long, regular price $1.50. Remnant price Thursday each 98c
Fifteen dozen Childrens' 35c fancy top socks, size 4½ to 9. Remnant price Thursday pair 25c
Women's regular 39c black Burson hose, all sizes. Remnant price Thursday pair 25c
Women's $1.98 to $2.50 fine white nainsook envelope chemise size 38 to 46. Remnant price Thursday each $1.39
Ten dozen women's large Amoskeag gingham aprons former price 75c Remnant price Thursday each 49c
Ten dozen Mohawk and Pepperill Sheets 54x90 for single beds, $1.75 value. Remnant price Thursday each $1.25
Five dozen white crinkled dimity bed spreads, $2.50 value. Remnant price Thursday each $1.75
Women's $1.25 and $1.50 white voile waists, size 40 only. Remnant price Thursday each 98c
Women's $2.98 high neck and long sleeve crepe gowns. Remnant price Thursday each $1.98
One lot Men's $1.50 and $1.75 Blue denim and white Mechanics overalls with bibs, only a limited quantity. Remnant price Thursday pair 98c
Three dozen Men's Khaki pants with belt to match, all sizes worth $1.50 Remnant price Thursday 98c
Five dozen Men's fine all pure linen handkerchiefs some slightly soiled and mussed, former price 50c Remnant price Thursday 35c each, 3 for $1.00
50 dozen Men's black hose all sizes. Remnant price Thursday 2 pair for 25c
Twenty-five dozen more Mens $1.00 Negligee shirts, with soft and laundered cuffs. Remnant price Thursday each 79c
Carhartts and Headlight $3.00 overalls. Remnant price Thursday each $2.50
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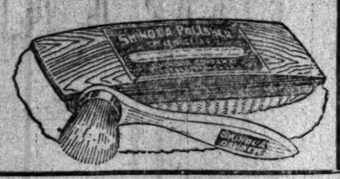

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PUBLIC SALE

Of a valuable and well equipped farm and personal property, consisting of 231 acres, at the Springfield Station on the Southern Railroad, 9 miles south of Alexandria, together with all stock, farming implements etc.

On Tuesday, April 15, 1919

Commencing at 10.30 o'clock. Rain or Shine

The farm is in an excellent state of cultivation and is ideally located for dairy purposes and consists of 231 acres with 1 mile of railroad frontage and fronting 3-4 of a mile on the county road. About 150 acres of cleared land, 5 acres in 8 year old apple trees and balance in fair timber, 37 1-2 acres in growing rye, 3 acres in potatoes.

IMPROVEMENTS CONSIST OF

1-6 room and bath dwelling; 1-5room tenant house; 1 large barn for horses and cattle; 2 corn cribs; 5 covered hog pens; chicken houses and all necessary outbuildings.

STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

3 good work horses, 1 mule, 4 cows, 3 brood sows, 1 poland china boar, ,9 shoats, 2-2horse wagons, 1 truck, 1 shelving, 1 McCormick binder, 1 McCormick mower, 1 Walter Wood mower, 1 Farmer's Favorite drill, 1 lime spreader, 1-2 horse roller, 1 dic harrow, 1 spike tooth harrow, 1 spring-tooth harrow, 2-2 horse Oliver plows, 2 cultivators, 3 double shovel plows, 1 hay rake, 1 Ideal potato planter, 1 Rice and Adams potato digger, 1 shaker potato digger, 1 corn sheller, 2 drags, 2 sets of double harness, lot miscellaneous tools, forks, shovels pulleys, rope, etc.

The above farm and all stock and implements will be offered for sale as an entirety and affords an unusual opportunity to secure well equipped farm for spring work and on very easy terms.

If a satisfactory bid is not obtained for the above as an entirety the farm will be offered separately and the stock and implements will be immediately sold without reserve.

TERMS—On the farm, 1-4 cash, balance in 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 years with interest at 6 per cent, secured by mortgage on the property or all cash at purchaser's option. $500 deposit will be required at time of sale and balance of the first instalment on or before 10 days from day of sale. Should the personal property be sold separately, a credit of 9 months will be given on all sums over $10.00, purchasers giving their notes with approved security and bearing interest at 6 per cent from day of sale. Payable at Citizen's National Bank, Alexandria, Va., Sums under $10.00 cash. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

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LETTER FROM FRANCE

The following was written by Private Bernard Y. Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hamilton, to his mother:

The Doughboy

When Uncle Sam decided that he
would have to lick the Hun,
And that a couple of million men
would put them on the run,
I like a noble fellow enlisted on the
spot,
I pictured all the greatest deeds, but
this is what I got:
A dandy misfit uniform, a hat and
shoes to match,
An itchy wooly underwear that made
me squirm and scratch,
They sent me to a training camp, and
kept me there a year,
And when they thought I had enough
they sent me over here.
I landed on the shores of France—
thanked God the trip was done.
But little did I realize the worst was
yet to come.
I hiked ten miles than rested, and then
hiked ten miles more,
My pack felt like a ton of lead, my
feet were blistered sore.
At last I reached my billet—'twas
fit for pigs, not men,
They gave me just a few hours rest,
then made me hike again.
And then they put me on a train made
up of all French cars.
Those "forty homers and eight chevawk"
That left me full of scars.
For eats I got corn belly, tomatoes,
leaves and bread,
A bit of each three times a day 'til
I was nearly dead.
And then at night the trains would
stop, bout two or three a. m.,
I hobbled out slung my pack and started to hike again.
And so it went for days and days,
Then came the sound of guns,
Which brought me the tidings that I
was near the Huns.
Now I had heard of trenches and all
about the line,
Of splendid food and easy work that
sounded pretty fine
Y. M. C. A., in every trench to give
the boys good cheer.
To hand out smokes and things to eat
which they brought over here
But when I got there all I found was
shell holes and Hell.
The Y. M. C. A., were miles away. I
sure was S. O. S.
I'd stand on my post the whole day
long in mud up to my knees.
My clothes were shabby, wet
and torn; my body full of fleas;
And often I would think of home,
and of my mother dear.
I'd wonder what she'd ever do if I
pushed dasies here.
At last, one night, the order came to
storm forth over the top,
The artillery boomed barrages, the
machine guns all would pop.
We met the Huns with bayonets, I
fought through shot and shell.
A bullet caught me as I lunged and
like a brick I fell.
And as I lay there on the ground a
yelling like a pup,
Two lads came with a stretcher and
promptly picked me up.
They placed me in an ambulance with
several other ones
And took me to a hospital away from
all the guns.
They doctored me and nursed me 'til
I was strong and well,
And then they put me on a train and
sent me back to hell.
Believe, me, when I tell you, this life
ain't what it seems,
For sniffling gas and ducking shells
ain't fun by any means
I often wish those lads at home who
write about the stuff
Would spend a cople of days up here,
they soon would have enough.
And all those lads who tell of France,
so sunny, clear and fair,
I'd like to bet you all my coin, that
they were never there.
I've had my share; I've seen it all; I
know the game too well
You ask what I think of it?—I'll tell
you frankly—Hell
All I can do is stick it out and hope
That soon I'll be aboard a ship bound
for the U. S. A.

LETTER FROM FRANCE

The following is a letter received some time ago by Mrs. Agnes Cornell, 1325 Queen street, from her son, Earl C. Cornell, who went to the Mexican border with the old 3rd D. C., National Guard, and who is somewhere in Germany.

I am now taking time to explain my part in the war. I left New York December 12, 1917, and landed in France at Brest, December 27. I was sent to camp January 2, 1918, and engagd in construction work. We then left to go with an A. E. F., prison camp to do guard duty.

Afterward I was transferred to Company B, 16th Infantry, where I remained until June 7, 1918. Next I went to the trenches. This was my first taste of war. Shells were bursting on all sides of us. I however, came out O. K.

I participated in a number of drives in different sections afterward. On September 12, I participated in the drive at St. Mihiel. We certainly kept the Huns on the run in that drive. Next we took a rest in a wood north of Verdun. On October 4 we made a drive in the Argonne Woods. Here we encountered hard fighting.

At this battle I was decorated for bravery, having gone out under shell fire and succeeded in saving our captain.

From October 6 to 13 I was engaged in the work of burying the dead, and, on October 15 I again went on a week's furlough and got back in time to go over the top October 29.

On November 2 I went to the Rhine and stayed their for two days.

I crossd the Rhine December 27 one year from the day I landed in France.

I am now in Dauback with the army of occupation. You can see from the above that I did not miss many battles.

Mother, this is what a German prisoner says: "Yesterday I received orders to hold the fort at all costs. The American barrage advanced. It was then impossible to move out of our dugouts. Following this barrage closely was the troops of the 1st Infantry.

"I saw them forge ahead and then I knew that all was lost. All night I remained in my dugout, hoping vainly that something would happen that would permit me to rejoin my army. This morning your troops found me and here I am "after four years of fighting a prisoner. Yesterday I knew that the 1st Division was opposite us and I know that we would have to put up the hardest fight of the war. The first drive was wonderful and the German army knew it. We did not believe that within five years the Americans could develop such a drive as the First Division did. The work of its infantry and artillery is worthy of the best armies in the world. This is true too.

Try a Gazette Want Ad.

LETTER FROM FRANCE

Mrs. A. M. Remschel has received the following letter from Autreville, France, dated March 14, from First Lieut. George J. Hook, U. M. C., U. S. A., Commanding Company D, of which company her son is a member.

"Now that hostilities have ceased and our thoughts turn towards home, it is not only just but a pleasant duty to acknowledge the splendid courage and loyal devotion to duty of your son, Forest, during his period of service with Company D, 103rd Supply Train, while on duty at the front in France during the great world war.

"Throughout all the difficulties and perils encountered all along and through the different campaigns, he performed every duty assigned to him with a willingness and a dauntless spirit that not only reflects great credit upon his early training at home, but it is typical of the best traditions of the American army.

"I, as his Company Commander, had every opportunity to note his behavior under the most trying conditions amidst many personal dangers and hardships and I can assure you, his mother, that you have every reason to be proud of his behavior.

Through God's mercy his life has been spared you, and he will in the near future return home, there to take up his work with the same energy and with the same dauntless spirit to win which characterized his efforts on the battle front of France."

ORDERS WAGES CUT

30 Per Cent Reduction Meets With Appeal to Labor Board

A reduction of 30 per cent in wages in the Bethlehem Steel Company and the Lebanon Valley Iron and Steel Company, Lenanon, Penn., has been ordered, according to information received by the Department of Labor. Strikes are in progress and Fred Knightly, secretary-treasurer of the steel workes' oganization, has asked the department to appoint a conciliator.

Thomas J. Williams has been assigned. The men want the company to accept the Western schedule of wages and a sliding scale.

CONSTIPATION

And Sour Stomach Caused This Lady Much Suffering. Black-Draught Relieved.

Meadorsville, Ky.,—Mrs. Pearl Patrick, of this place, writes: "I was very constipated. I had sour stomach and was so uncomfortable. I went to the doctor. He gave me some pills. They weakened me and seemed to tear up my digestion. They would gripe me and afterwards it seemed I was more constipated than before.

I heard of Black-Draught and decided to try it. I found it just what I needed. It was an easy laxative, and not bad to swallow. My digestion soon improved. I got well of the sour stomach, my bowels soon seemed normal, no more griping, and I would take a dose now and then, and was in good shape.

I cannot say too much for Black-Draught for it is the finest laxative one can use."

Thedford's Black-Draught has for many years been found of great value in the treatment of stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy to take, gentle and reliable in its action leaving no bad after-efects, it has won the praise of thousands of people who have used it.

PRESENTED WITH PULPIT

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ceived for the degrees up to and including the thirty-second, and it is expected that the number will be advanced beyond the 200 mark.

Many Blue Lodge Masons in Richmond and throughout the State are taking advantage of this opportunity to secure their degrees with the first class in the new cathedral, and in the class that is named in honor of Rev. John Moncure, D. D., a leading Scottish Rite Mason who sacrificed his life a few years ago in trying to save a negro servant from drowning. Rehearsals of the degree work in the various bodies of the Rite will begin in the new cathedral Friday evening and continue until the reunion. A Scottish Rite choir with some of the best voices is being organized under the leadership of Joseph F. White, with Luther H. Jenkins in charge of the pipe organ.

PEACE PRACTICALEY MADE

Paris, April 8.—"Peace making is practically concluded," a high British official said today.

"It will be a peace which both the Bolsheviki and the reactionaries probably will regard as acceptable."

The official added that "complete agreement practically has been achieved in the matter of reparations, the Rhine territory and permanent disposition of Danzig."

SENTENCE "GYPSY QUEEN"

Baltimore, Md., April 9.—Mrs. Annie M. Smith, known among her neighbors as "the Gypsy Queen," who was placed on trial on Monday in the circuit court at Towson for the murder of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Lena Smith, on May 12, 1917, was yesterday afternoon convicted of murder in the first degree. Judge McLane, who was on the bench, sentenced her to life-imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Don't Suffer

MANY men and women are suffering because they are treating effects instead of removing causes.

Why bother with liniments and lotions for rheumatic pains, backache, stiff joints, sore muscles, biliousness, nervousness, floating specks in the vision, dizziness, puffy pouches under the eyes, or other symptoms of kidney trouble when the kidneys can be made well and strong, thus removing the cause of the symptoms?

Foley Kidney Pills

have been used for kidney trouble and bladder ailments by men and women with success for many years. They seem to get right at the root of the trouble, invigorating and strengthening, healing and soothing weak, sore, or disordered kidneys and bladder. They help the kidneys throw out of the blood the waste and poisons that cause the symptoms of kidney trouble.

O. W. Weissinger, 2824 Buena Vista, San Antonio, Texas., writes: "I have suffered more or less with kidney and bladder trouble for the past ten years. The only thing I have ever been able to get relief from was Foley Kidney Pills. I earnestly recommend them to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble."

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16th

IN

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[FOR] RENT—Furnished rooms for [la]dies only. Apply at 206 North [...] street.

[FOR] SALE—1917 Maxwell Touring [firs]t class condition. Reasonable. [W.] S. Smith, Del Ray, Alexan[dr]ia, Va.

[WAN]TED—Employment in morn[ings] by young man. Clerical [w]ork or bookkeeping. Address H. K. Gazette Office.

[RO]OMS FOR RENT—Two furnish[ed] rooms for light house keeping [s]econd floor, electric lights, Call 204 King street.

[WAN]TED—Young man as clerk in [...] store. Must have good ref[ere]nce. Apply Abe L. Cohen, 418 [Ki]ng street, city.

Wanted—Janitor for Colonial Apts. [F]lat included. M. L. Horner, 612 King street. 77-tf.

[FOR S]ALE—Ford car for sale, [chea]p; good condition, price $250. [Ap]ply The Leader, 904 King [st]reet.

FOR SALE—Suburban Home—New seven room frame house, city water, electric lights, bath, slate roof, front and rear porch. Two blocks to car line, 25 minutes to 12th street station, Washington. large lot, 5 cent fare to Alexandria. Price $3,850. One fourth cash, balance easy terms. If interested, write Box 200, Care of Gazette Office.
85-6t.

WANTED—Three nicely furnished rooms for light house keeping. No children. Central location. Address "C. R. M." Care of the Gazette.
8313t.

FOR SALE—Two-story brick dwelling, 113 Prince street, containing six rooms. Always rented. Price $1500. Apply to John D. Normoyle, corner King and Royal streets.
81-6t.

LOST—Friday, April 4, a fur neck piece, natural skunk. Reward of ..$5 will be paid for its return to ..113 North Columbus street.
82-3t.

FOR SALE—A handsome grey team, eight and nine years old, weigh 3000 pounds, absolutely sound and well broken, good dispositions, also one black mare. Can be seen at 817 King street.
79-1wk.

WANTED—A boy at Shumn's bakery.
83-3t.

MICHIGAN DRYS WIN

[Vict]ous in all But Two Counties [R]epublicans Also Victorious.

[Lan]sing, Mich., April 9.—Michi[gan d]rys were victorious by fully [...]0 votes, according to nearly [comple]te returns last night from [every] county. All Republican candi[dates] were given majorities of from [...] to 50,000, returns holding out [...] of even more decisive leads. [Retu]rns indicated drys victorious [in all] but Wayne and Menominee [countie]s. In Wayne women voted [with] the men on the wet amendment, [...] 78,964 for the measure and [...] against it.

[...] proposed railway purchase [b]y Detroit was given approxi[mately] 46 per cent of the vote, in[stead o]f the needed 60 per cent.

[Return]s in so far show 287,964 [a]gainst the wet amendment [...]7,432 for it. Grant Hudson, [Anti-S]aloon League head here, pre[dicts] [...]00,000 majority for prohibi[tion].

[Repu]blicans, it was also indicated, [g]iven a uniformly heavy ma[jority].

[JUS]TICE SHOOTS HIMSELF

[Cambr]idge, Md., April 9.—V. Mur[ray S]ullivan, the police justice for [recent]ly designated by Governor Har[rington], attempted suicide this morn[ing] shooting himself in the breast [with a] revolver.

[The] bullet was intende dto strike [the he]art, which it only missed by [...]an inch. The bullet has not [bee]n located, and Sullivan is in a [c]ritical condition. He has been [desponde]nt for some time.

POSING AS SINGLE, TELLS WIFE HE LOVES ANOTHER

Chicago. April 8.—Mrs. Ella Connor had been married eight years when her husband started on his Southern trip. He hasn't come back yet, and Mrs. Connor knowing why, has just divorced him.

Judge Hopkins, in the superior court, granted the decree. Mrs. Connor testified that she followed her husband and in the summer of 1917 found him ill and under the care of a charming nurse. He was posing as a single man, she said, and getting away with it.

"They addressed each other in terms of endearment," she testified, "and before I left he said that she was the woman he really loved. He didn't show the slightest evidence of wanting to go back home."

APARTMENT BUILDING FOR COUPLES HAVING CHILDREN IS PLANNED

Detroit, April 8.—A community center, with its principal feature a huge apartment building, eligible only to couples with children, will be constructed here, Rev. John Benson, Methodist, has announced.

Upward of $600,000 will be spent on the project, Dr. Benson said.

[S]tomach [O]ut of Fix?

[Ph]one your grocer or [dr]uggist for a dozen bottles [of] this delicious digestant,—a glass [after] meals gives delightful relief, or [no] charge for the first dozen used.

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AUCTION SALE

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

Auction sale of residence property in Rosemont. Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date of March 7th, 1913, and recorded in deed book 137, page 174, of the land records of the county of Alxandria, Va., given by Suter and Slaymaker, Incorporated, to the undersigned trustee to secure the payment of certain promissory negotiable notes therein setforth, default having been made in the payment of some of the said notes, and at the request and by the direction of the holder thereof, the undersigned, trustee, will offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, on THURSDAY, April 24th, 1919, at 12 M., all those TWO LOTS OF GROUND WITH IMPROVEMENTS THEREIN in Rosemont, Va., and described as follows: All of lot numbered 14 and the west half of lot numbered 15 in block 4, in Section 1, of Rosemont, a plat of which is duly of record in the land records of the county of Alexandria in deed book No. 119, page 366, and being the same lots of ground conveyed by the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, to Suter and Slaymaker, Incorporated, by deed.

Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyancing, including revenue stamps, at the cost of the purchaser.

ARTHUR SNOWDEN, TRUSTEE.
85-13t.

AUCTION SALES

IN THE CORPORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Pursuant to and by authority of a decree entered on the 19th day of March, 1919, in the suit pending in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, wherein Philip M. Knox and Frances P. Knox, his wife, are Complainants, and Harriet K. Reid and James H. Reid, her husband, and Harriet K. Reid, Committee of Robert F. Knox, Jr., and Robert F. Knox, jr., are Defendants, the undersigned will expose for sale, at public aution, WEDNESDAY, the 23rd, day of APRIL, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the west entrance to the City Hall building on N. Royal Street, Alexandria, Virginia, the following described real estate located within the said City of Alexandria:

First—All that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements there on, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Fairfax Street forty-one feet six inches (41 ft. 6. in.) south of King Street and at Burke's south line, and running thence south on Fairfax Street nineteen feet three inches (19ft. 3 in.) to the line of the property formerly Stabler's; thence east, parallel to King Street seventy-six feet (76ft.); thence south nineteen feet three inches (19 ft. 3 in.) to Printer's Alley; thence east on said alley four feet (4ft.) to Bartleman's line; thence north, in a direct line thirty-eight feet 6 inches (38 ft. 6 in.) to Burke's line; and thence west, in a direct line to the beginning, with the right of way over said alley and all appurtenances.

Second—All that certain lot of ground in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the north side of Duke street, twenty-eight feet (28ft.) east of St. Asaph Street, and running thence east on Duke Street twenty-four feet (24 ft.); thence north one hundred feet (100 ft.) to an alley; thence west on said alley twenty-four feet (24 ft.); thence south one hundred feet (100 ft.) to the point of beginning on Duke Street, and all appurtenances thereto belonging.

Third—All those lots or parcels of land designated as lots twenty-eight twenty-nine and thirty (28, 29 and 30) on Fayette Street, in the said City of Alexandria, as shown by the plat duly of record amongst the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 30, page 594, to which said plat reference is hereby made for a more particular description.

Terms of Sale: CASH, and property to be conveyed at cost of purchaser.

R. B. WASHINGTON,
Commissioner of Sale.

I certify that R. B. Washington, Commissioner of Sale, has executed the bond required in the suit of Philip M. Knox and Frances P. Knox, his wife, vs. Harriet K. Reid et als, with good and sufficient surety.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk of Court.
84-13t.

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

Auction sale of residence property No. 331 North St. Asaph Street. Pursuant to the terms of a deed of Trust bearing date on March 30, 1916, and recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria. in Deed book No. 65, Page 222., given by Elizabeth Taylor to the undersigned Trustee, to secure the payment of certain negotiable promissory notes therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of some of said notes and at the request and by the direction of the holder thereof, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at Public Auction at the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building on SATURDAY,,, ,APRIL 19th, 1919, at 12 M., all that lot or parcel of ground in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as No. 331 North St. Asaph Street and bounded and described as follows: to-Wit:

Beginning twenty feet south of Princess Street, and running thence south on St. Asaph street, twenty-six feet, five inches, thence east and parallel with Princess street eighty-six feet, five inches more or less, thence north and parallel with St. Asaph street tweny-six feet, five inches, and thence west by a straight line to the begining.

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83-11t. JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
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NOTICE

Having qualified as Executrix of the last will of Thomas Burroughs, deceased, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to settle their accounts at once and all persons having claims against the estate will present the same, duly authenticated, for adjustment.

82-10t ISABELLE GOODS,
Executrix.

Try the Gazette Classified column for results.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lincoln Land and Improvement Company, of Washington, D. C., Incorporated, for the election of directors and officers, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held on Wednesday, April 9, 1919, at its office No. 111 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., Polls open from 2.00 to 3.00 p. m.

JOHN O. HARMON, Jr.,
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Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains Alexandria, Virginia. The following schedule figures published as information and not guaranteed.

SOUTHERN RAILROAD
(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.		North.
	New York-Memphis	
3:27 a.m.	Via Bristol)	12:13 a.m.
	Washington-Danville	
7:37 a.m.	(Local)	3:23 p.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Atlanta)	11:58 p.m.
9:07 a.m.	Wash'ton-Harrisonburg	9:13 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta	
9:27 a.m.	(Coaches)	11:13 p.m.
	Washington-Memphis	
2:27 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	4:58 p.m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
4:02 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	12:28 p.m.
†4:12 p.m.	Wash'ton-Harrisonburg	11:03 a.m.†
	Washington-Charlottesville	
4:22 p.m.	(Local)	11:08 a.m.
†5:22 p.m.	Washington-Warrenton.	7:53 a.m.†
7:17 p.m.	—N. Y.-Augusta-Aiken.	7:18 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10:02 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	7:43 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	8:28 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
11:02p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	9:28 a.m.

WASHINGTON SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

South.		North.
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:35 a.m.	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7:55 a.m.	(Local)	12:30 p.m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9:42 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:25 p.m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
10:52 a.m.	(Local)	8:10 a.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
11:47 a.m.	(Express)	8:05 p.m.
	New York-Tampa-Key West	
2:47 p.m.	(A. C. L.	3:00 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5:17 p.m.	(Local)	8:37 p.m (S)
	Washington-Columbia-Memphis	
6:17 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12:55 p.m.
	New York-St. Petersburg-Palm Beach	
8:07 p.m.	(S. A. L.	9:15 a.m.
9:17 p.m.	Wash.-St.Pet'burg-Tampa	9:05 p.m.
	Richmond-Washington (express)	3:28 p.m.
	Richmond-Washington (local)	6:26 p.m.†

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P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, [illegible], [illegible], 1.50, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, [illegible], 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, [illegible], 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, [illegible], 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, [illegible], 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, [illegible], 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, [illegible], 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, [illegible], 11.40. A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays.
†Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon
A. M.—†5.35, 6.55, 7.55, 9.55, [illegible], [illegible], 11.55.

P. M.—12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, [illegible], [illegible], 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.5[illegible]
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Board of Aldermen

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen held Tuesday, April 8, 1919, there were present:

F. F. Marbury, esq., president, and Messrs. Anderson, Ballenger, Wilkins, Summers and Batcheller.

The following papers was presented:

Communication from the City Auditor regarding dog licenses for year 1919-1920 referred to Committee on Finance.

Petition from H. N. Garner, attorney for M. E. Fleming and S. H. Lunt asking that the Mayor be authorized to sign quit claims, for certain lots in Geo. Washington Park, referred to Finance Committee.

Petition from Geo. Crump to erect shed in rear of 526 South Alfred Street granted.

The following papers were received from the lower board and their actions concurred in:

Resolution appropriating $400 to grade Franklin Street from Royal to Pitt streets passed.

Petition requiring the Fleischman Construction Co., to remove the debris placed on North Fairfax street passed.

Resolution appropriating $300 for the use of the aMyor, Health Committee and the Board of Health passed Ayes 5, Noes 0.

Communication from the Mayor enclosing a petition from the C and P telephone Co., to erect poles along the waterfront between King and Duke streets referred to committee on Streets.

Resolution appropriating $10,000 to extend tanyard sewer, laid over under the rules.

Ordinance granting permission to A. T. Peake to erect gasoline tank on Prince Street near corner of Fairfax referred to committee on Streets.

Resolution appropriating $4,000 for collecting ashes and cleaning streets referred to committee on streets

Resolution appropriating $7,500 to purchase lot for Colored school referred. Laid over under the rules.

Communication from the school board regarding a special Committee looking after the new colored school, the President appointed Messrs. Wilkins and Batcheller from this board.

Resolution increasing the salary of the Superintendent of Gas to $2,000 per annum payable monthly referred to Committee on Light and Finance.

Petition from C. R. Yates for permission to repair frame building in the rear of 322 South Fairfax St. referred to Committee on Streets as was also petition from the Mutual Ice Co., to erect building on the east side of Alfred street between Wolfe and Wilkes streets. Petition from G. Hepburn to erect garage in rear of 211 Gibbon street granted. Petition from sundry citizens to continue sewer on south Fayette street referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition from Leo. P. Harlow to erect garage in rear of 119 South Fairfax street granted.

Petition from F. Michelbach to erect building at 814-816 King street under certain conditions granted.

F. F. MARBURY, President.
W. W. Ballenger, Clerk pro tem.

Common Council

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Alexandria, Va., held April 8, 1919 there were present:

H. R. Burke, esq., president, and Messrs. McCaffrey, Matter, Ruben, Ticer, Armstrong, Kaufmann, Wattles Desmond, Sullivan, Baggett, Ballenger, Fletcher and Devers.

The following mesage was, received from the Mayor:

April 2, 1919.

To the Honorable City Council,
Alexandria, Virginia.
Gentlemen:

I am returning without my approval a paper having for its object the granting of permission to A. T. Peake to erect a Gasoline tank and service pump under side-walk at corner of Prince and Fairfax Streets. My objection is based upon the grounds that the placing of Gasoline under pavements of our city is indeed a very dangerous and bad practice, to my mind it is bad enough when it is placed even in yards off of thoroughfares used by pedestrians and where people are liable to drop or throw lighted cigars or cigarettes.

I am of the opinion the City Council should pass an ordinance prohibiting the sale of such high explosives except in certain zones and those zones should not be in a residential section, A number of our best citizens reside in this section and I am of the opinion their rights should be protected.

Very respectfully,
THOMAS A. FISHER, Mayor.

The Mayor's objection was sustained, Ayes Messrs. McCaffrey and Ticer 2; Noes Messrs. Matter, Ruben, Kaufmann, Wattles, Desmond, Sullivan, Baggett, Ballenger, Fletcher, Devers and Mr. President, 11. A two third vote required to pass over veto.

A resolution granting permission to A. T. Peake to place gasoline tank under pavement on Prince street near the corner of Fairfax street was offered by Mr. Baggett and referred to the committee on Streets.

The committee on Streets recommended that $10,000 be appropriated to extend trunk sewer north of Jefferson street on Royal street and the report was adopted, Ayes Messrs McCaffrey, Matter, Ruben, Ticer, Kaufmann, Wattles, Desmond, Sullivan, Baggett, Ballenger, Fletcher, Devers and Mr. President 13. Noes 0.

The committee on Streets recommended that Corporation Attorney take steps to compel the Fleischman Construction Co., to remove waste material placed on the highway of north Fairfax street, and on Oronoco and Pendleton streets and the report was adopted.

A resolution appropriating $4,000 for collecting ashes and sweeping streets was referred to the committee on Streets.

A resolution appropriating $300 for the Health department was offered by Mr. Wattles and passed, ayes 13; noes none.

A message from the Mayor enclosing a petition from the C and P Telephone Co., to erect poles and guy wires along water front between King and Duke street, and lay two ducts from poles at Southwest corner of King and Union streets and string cable to Duke street as per blue print submitted was received and referred to the committee on Streets.

Communication from W. F. H. Finke, chairman of the City School Board requesting that a special committee be appointed to co-operate with the school board in the purchase of ground and the erection of a new school building for colored children was received and Messrs. Matter and Ticer were appointed a special committee to act with a similar committee from the Board of Aldermen and the city Engineer. Mr. Finke was granted privilege of the floor and he explained the importance of erecting at once the school building.

A resolution appropriating $7,500 to purchase a lot for the Colored school building was offered by Mr. Baggett and passed, ayes Messrs McCaffrey, Matter, Ruben, Ticer, Armstrong, Kaufmann, Wattles, Desmond, Sullivan, Baggett, Ballenger, Fletcher, Devers and Mr. President. 14; Noes 0.

A resolution fixing the salary of the Superintendent of Gas at $2,000 per annum was offered by Mr. Ticer and referred to the joint committee on Light and Finance.

The following were referred to the committee on Streets.

A petition from C. R. Yates to repair frame kitchen rear of No. 322 South Fairfax street.

A petition from the Mutual Ice Company to erect frame Ice scales station east side of Alfred street, between Wolfe and Wilkes streets.

A petition from the property owners for a sewer on South Fayette street between Prince and Duke streets.

The following permissions were granted:

To the Aero-Auto Company to install gasoline pump on Henry street on the side of building known as No. 1101 King street.

Also to F. Michelbach to erect building at 814-16 King street as recommended by the City Engineer.

Also to Leo. P. Harlow to erect fire proof garage rear No. 119 South Fairfax street.

Also to Geo. H. Hepburn to erect garage rear of No. 211 Gibbon street.

The following was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in:

An ordinance authorizing deeds for certain lots in George Washington park.

Also a resolution requesting the Finance Committee to change the License Law so that dog licenses may be payable to the City Treasurer.

Also a petition from George Crump to erect frame shed at No. 526 South Alfred street.

The board then adjourned.

H. R. BURKE, President.
Teste:
Daniel R. Stansbury, Clerk, C. C.

ENDS LIFE BY HANGING

Cape Charles, Va., April 8.—W. Samuel Ayres, 53 years old, a clerk in the store of Littleton and Knock, Tasley, Va., committed suicide Saturday morning by hanging himself from a rafter in a barn at his home. Despondency is said to be the cause. He had held his position as clerk for fifteen years. He is survived by a wife and four small children.

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April 9th, 1919

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What is the cost of maintaining the present city government?
How the Legislative and the Administrative branches of the present city government function?
Where the responsibility rests in the management of our city affairs?

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INGOMAR TONIGHT

Mary McLaren will be seen at the Ingomar tonight in her great dramatic success, "Men Who Made Love to Me." Pathe Weekly News will also be shown.

RICHMOND THEATRE

Ethel Clayton will also be shown in her latest Paramount picture, "Pettigrew's Girls.'' It's from a story by Dana Burnett, which appeared recently in the Saturday Evening Post. Monte Blue appears as Miss Clayton's leading man.

MADE COINS IN JAIL

Counterfeiter's Den in Full Operation Discovered in Penitentiary

Philadelphia, April 9.—A counterfeiters' den in full operation has been discovered within the walls of the Eastern penitentiary here.

Three convicts were doing the work in their cell at night. They had been operating only three days, however, before the deputy warden discovered the plot.

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Sparks From Burning Box Car Cause—Traffic Crippled.

The Baltimore and Ohio trestle over the Anacostia River was partially destroyed yesterday when sparks from a burning box car set fire to the heavy woodwork. Traffic to Alexandria, Benning and other points was tied up several hours. The fire started in an empty box car.

Damage to the bridge is estimated at $3,000, while that to the box car is placed at $500. The bridge was partially repaired and trains were using it last night.

KILL AND INJURE IN RIOT

Tokio, April 9.—Japanese troops fired upon three thousand rioters at Teishu, Manchuria, killing and injuring over thirty, according to dispatches received here.

Fatalities have occurred also at Taizen and Juju during clashes betwen rioters and troops.

Dispatches from Seoul declare that on April 1, the principal storekeepers there were summoned by the police department and warned to open their shops. Repeated warnings were disregarded.

The police then made the rounds of the shops and arrested many who had refused to reopen.

MOTHER'S DISCOVERY

Drew Near a Crowd and Found Her 8-Year-Old Son Had Been Killed

Indianapolis, Ind., April 9.—Mrs. Richard Elmerick stood in a crowd around a small boy who lay dead in the street two blocks from her home here yesterday. The boy had fallen from a dirt wagon and in some way life was crushed from him. A handkerchief covered his face. When the coroner arrived he lifted the handkerchief and Mrs. Elmerick fell in a swoon. The youngster was her own 8-year-old son, Richard, jr., The boy with two campanions had jumped on a wagon while coming from school.

BATTLE WHILE TRAIN WAITS.

Prohibition Officer Fires on Alleged Offender in West Virginia.

Wheeling, W. Va., April 9.—The Wheeling New York express train was held up for 20 minutes here while a prohibition officer battled with an alleged violator of the liquor laws. Deputy Prohibition Officer Tom Arrington chased the alleged violator in and out of and around the train, firing seevral shots and finally landing him. The man carried a suitcase containing liquor.

Full citizenship was conferred on 162,402 soldiers and sailors up to Jan. 1, unde rthe act of congress, passed last year.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, March 22, 1919.

Helen A. Simmons Rigby, Complainant vs. Arthur P. Rigby, Defendant. MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the Complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; resumption of maiden name, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Arthur P. Rigby, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, p. q.
71-4w A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, March 22, 1910.

Grace Edna Wallace, Complainant vs, George B. Wallace, Defendant. In Chancery.
MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; that a Guardian ad litem be assigned to defend the interests of defendant herein and required to answer on oath; that complainant be allowed to resume her maiden name, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, George B. Wallace is a non resident of this State, It Is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Moncure, Davis & Budwesky, p. q.
71-4w. A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In The Corporation Court, of the City of Alexandria, February 24, 1919.

John Dennis Lavier, complainant, vs. Margaret Stobie Lavier, In Chancery.
MEMO:

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse from the 3rd day of November, 1916, to be merged at the proper time into a divorce avinculo matrimonii, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Margaret Stobie Lavier is a non-resident of this State: It Is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

A Copy, Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Richard B. Washington, p. q. 52-4w

VIRGINIA.

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, February 24th, 1919.

Ellie Walker, complainant vs. Martha Walker. Defendant, In Chancery.
MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; custody of infant child, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Martha Walker is a non-resident of this State: It Is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

A Copy, Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Robinson Moncure. p. q. 52-4w

VIRGINIA.

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, March 22, 1919.

Samuel Harrington, Complainant vs Minnie L. B. Harrington, Defendant. In Chancery.
MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the ground of adultery, custody of infant child and general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Minnie L. B. Harrington is a non-resident of this State It Is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests.

Robinson Moncure, p. q.
71-4w. A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 19th day of March, 1919.

Daisy Smith, Complainant vs. William H. Smith, Defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant from the defendant on the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the filing of this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant William H. Smith is a non-resident of this State. It Is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., 70-4w.
A Copy, Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, March 7th, 1919.

Fannie S. Rothschild, Complainant vs. Harry Rothschild, Defendant. In Chancery.
MEMO:

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Harry Rothschild is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

A Copy Teste:
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Robinson Moncure, p. q. 63-4w.

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